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## Mayor wishes Ladysmith Black Mambazo well as they get a grammy nomination

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Mayor Alfred Duma Local Municipality Cllr. Vincent Madlala visited Dr Joseph Shabalala's home with other local and country wide stakeholders in support of Ladysmith Black Mambazo for the Grammy Award nominations.

Ladysmith Black Mambazo was nominated for two categories of the 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Grammy awards. The ceremony is said to take place on January 28, 2018 in Madison Square Garden in New York City.

Mayor of Alfred Duma Municipality Vincent Madlala passed regards to members of Ladysmith Black Mambazo. He spoke of how the municipality and the town of Ladysmith is proud of the group and its achievements. Mayor Madlala also spoke of the Dr Joseph Shabalala Academy that is in the final stages of construction and how this project will be of great help to the community of the municipality and surrounding areas.

Dr Joseph Shabalala who is the founder of Ladysmith Black Mambazo, said he had no worries with regards to the awards because he know that this is the best vocal group in Africa. And they are a record breaking group with most grammy awards in Africa.





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